1-Year Follow-up Response Corrective Action Plan (CAP): Audit Report #07P-12 Montana's 9-1-1 Emergency Telephone System Department of Administration October 31, 2008

Agency	Recommendation #	Does this affect a federal program?	CFDA # (if previous YES)	Management View	CAP – Corrective Action Plan	Person responsible for CAP	Target Date
61010 DOA	Recommendation #1 We recommend the Department of Administration: A. Seek input from 9-1-1 system stakeholders, including the 9-1-1 Advisory Council, on how to distribute surcharge revenues without creating disparities.	No		Concur	A. The Department will work with the 9-1-1 system stakeholders, including the 9-1-1 Advisory Council, to draft legislation to clarify the distribution of surcharge revenues and conform with legislative intent.	Becky Berger	Completed 10/2008
	B. Seek statutory clarification and approval of a revenue distribution methodology ensuring funds are distributed as envisioned by the legislature.				B. The Department will submit the proposed legislation as part of the Executive Planning Process.	Becky Berger	Completed 10/2008
61010 DOA	Recommendation #2 We recommend the Department of Administration seek statutory authority to require local governments provide comprehensive program information and expand its	No		Concur	1. The Department will work with the 9-1-1 Advisory Council to draft legislation creating statutory authority for the 9-1-1 Program to compile and report management information.	Becky Berger	Completed 10/2008
	compilation and reporting of management information for statewide 9-1-1 activities.				2. The Department will submit the proposed legislation as part of the Executive Planning Process.	Becky Berger	Completed 10/2008

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61010 DOA	Recommendation #3 We recommend the Legislature: A. Establish specific intent and priorities for use of program funds by PSAPs; THEN B. Clarify its expectations of 9-1-1 services to be provided in Montana, including the minimal levels of service as new technologies become available.	No		N/A			
61010 DOA	Recommendation #4 We recommend the Legislature grant the Department of Administration: A. Authority to evaluate PSAP operations and consider consolidation of PSAPs to improve the efficiency and costeffectiveness of the 9-1-1 system. B. Authority to develop operational standards for a state 9-1-1 system, including PSAP operations.	No		N/A			
61010 DOA	Recommendation #5 We recommend the legislature revise state law to ensure all 9-1-1 surcharge revenues are only used for 9-1-1 systems development and operations.	No		N/A			